



# **Solid Waste Advisory Committee**

**April 14, 2022  
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# Agenda



## **Central Texas Solid Waste Advisory Committee (SWAC)**

Thursday, April 14, 2022

Central Texas Council of Governments Building  
2180 North Main Street, Belton, Texas 76513

### **Regular Meeting: 10:00 am**

Note: The Chair of the Committee will be physically present, and the meeting will be open to the public.

Virtual Link: [SWAC Meeting](#)

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### **Agenda**

1. Call to Order.
2. Opportunity for Public Comments.
3. Staff Update: (pgs. 6-8)
  - a) RSWMP Update;
  - b) Federal, State, and Local Updates;
  - c) Air Quality.
4. **Action Item:** Regarding approval of October 14, 2021 meeting minutes. (pgs. 10-12)
5. **Discussion Item:** Regarding update on FY22 HHW Events. (pgs. 14-18)
6. **Discussion and Action Item:** Regarding addendum to Clean Earth contract for cost increases. (pgs. 20-24)
7. **Discussion and Action Item:** Regarding FY22 Solid Waste accrued interest. (pg. 26)
8. **Discussion and Action Item:** Regarding Call for Applications for FY23 HHW events. (pgs. 28-36)
9. **Discussion Item:** Regarding HHW Vendor contract renewal. (pg. 38)
10. **Discussion Item:** Regarding regional Styrofoam collection program. (pgs. 40-42)
11. **Discussion Item:** Regarding review of Scrap Tire Facility application. (pgs. 44-46)
12. Member Comments/Discussion.
13. Set Next Meeting Date: September 15, 2022.
14. Adjournment.

# **Item #3: Staff Update**

**Staff Update**

a) RSWMP Update

- The 2022-2042 RSWMP was approved by the CTCOG Executive Committee on October 28<sup>th</sup>, 2021 and submitted to TCEQ for review on November 9<sup>th</sup>, 2021
- TCEQ returned the plan in December with several comments following their initial review. AZB assisted staff with addressing their comments and a revised plan was submitted in early January 2022.
- TCEQ reviewed the plan again and requested several editorial changes in February 2022
- On March 29<sup>th</sup> CTCOG received notice from TCEQ that they had completed their review of the RSWMP and given preliminary approval to the plan.
- Volume I will be presented to the TCEQ commissioners for adoption during an upcoming agenda and Volume II will be put before the executive director for approval.
- Staff will notify the SWAC of any further updates as well as when the plan is put on the agenda for adoption.

b) Federal and State Updates

- Earth Day 2022 – April 22<sup>nd</sup>
- EPA National Recycling Strategy ([Link](#))

Jon Niermann, *Chairman*  
Emily Lindley, *Commissioner*  
Bobby Janecka, *Commissioner*  
Toby Baker, *Executive Director*



## TEXAS COMMISSION ON ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY

*Protecting Texas by Reducing and Preventing Pollution*

March 29, 2022

Mr. Jim Reed, Executive Director  
Central Texas Council of Governments  
P.O. Box 729  
Belton, Texas 76513

Subject: Preliminary Approval of CTCOG Regional Solid Waste Management Plan

Dear Mr. Reed:

Texas Commission on Environmental Quality (TCEQ) completed the review of the Central Texas Council of Governments' (CTCOG) Regional Solid Waste Management Plan Volumes I & II. Volume I will be presented to the TCEQ commissioners for adoption during an upcoming agenda meeting. You will be notified of the date your plan will be presented at agenda and CTCOG will have the option to speak on the matter.

If Volume I is adopted by the commissioners and Volume II is approved by the executive director, you will be notified of the final approval of the Regional Solid Waste Management Plan Volumes I & II.

If you have any questions, please contact your TCEQ Solid Waste Grant Manager or me at (512) 239-1529.

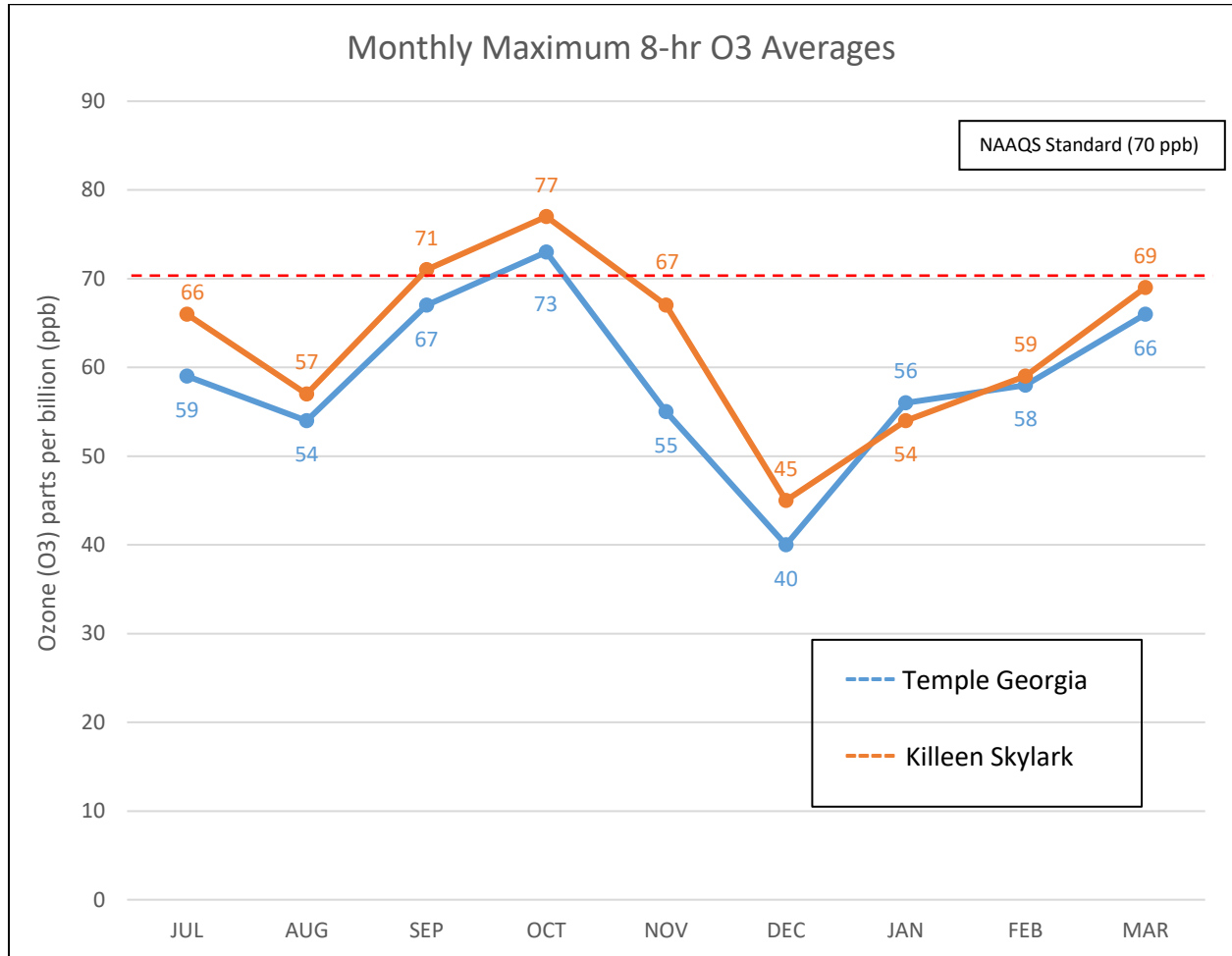
Sincerely,

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Megan Henson, Section Manager  
Business & Program Services Section  
Waste Permits Division

cc: James McGill, Central Texas Council of Governments, Solid Waste Coordinator

c) Air Quality



Compliance with EPA Ozone Standard: 4th Highest Annual Value				3-year average (Calculated on Oct. 9, 2021)
	2019	2020	2021	
Temple	63	64	67	65
Killeen	67	63	70	67



# **Item #4:**

## **Meeting Minutes**



## **SOLID WASTE ADVISORY COMMITTEE**

Thursday, October 14, 2021

10:00 AM

Central Texas Council of Governments (CTCOG)  
2180 North Main Street  
Belton, TX 76513

### **Solid Waste Advisory Committee Voting Members Present**

Vice Chair Duane Herrera – Bell County  
Marcie Seele – City of Belton  
Noel Watson – City of Copperas Cove  
Mark Hyde – City of Harker Heights  
Bill Gould – City of Killeen

Second Vice Chair Zoe Rascoe – Citizen Rep.  
Commissioner Johnny Wagner – Hamilton County  
Scott Edmonson – San Saba County  
John Trigg – Private Business Representative  
Justin Brantley – City of Temple

### **Additional Attendees**

David Williams – City of Kempner  
Kara Escajeda – City of Nolanville  
Michael Carleton – Arredondo, Zepeda & Brunz

Kendra Coufal – CTCOG  
James McGill – CTCOG

**1. Call to Order:** Duane Herrera called the meeting to order at 10:01 am.

**2. Public Comments:** No comments were made by the public.

**3. Staff Update:** Federal and State Updates; Air Quality.

James McGill shared that since the last meeting was so recent, there were no new federal or state updates to share with the committee. Air Quality for the month of September was 67 ppb at the Temple station and 71 ppb at the Killeen station.

**4. Action Item:** Approval of the September 30, 2021 meeting minutes.

**Zoe Rascoe made a motion to approve the September 30, 2021 meeting minutes, seconded by Commissioner Johnny Wagner; the motion passed unanimously.**

**5. Discussion and Action Item:** Regarding Approval 2022-2042 Regional Solid Waste Management Plan (RSWMP).

Michael Carleton from Arredondo, Zepeda & Brunz informed the committee of some changes to the draft RSWMP based on comments from Bill Parry and Fort Hood. Mr. Carleton stated that the revisions made did not change any of the overall goals or objectives of the plan. Marcie Seele with Belton stated that there was an error in the list of services they provide. Other members noted that the employment growth rate seemed low based on what's going on now. Mr. Carleton said that he would conduct a sensitivity analysis to address a potential higher growth rate in the region.

**Zoe Rascoe made a motion to approve the 2022-2042 Regional Solid Waste Management Plan with the noted changes from the meeting, seconded by Commissioner Johnny Wagner; the motion passed unanimously.**

**6. Discussion and Action Item:** Regarding approval of the FY22-23 Solid Waste Application & Funding Plan.

James McGill explained to the Committee that the FY22-23 Solid Waste Application & Funding Plan describes how CTCOG will use the funds for the biennium and details the budget for the contract period. Zoe Rascoe asked what was included in the "Other" category. Mr. McGill replied that a large portion was for office/administration costs.

**Noel Watson made a motion to approve the FY22-23 Solid Waste Application & Funding Plan, seconded by Marcie Seele; the motion passed unanimously.**

**7. Discussion and Action Item:** Regarding extra Solid Waste Coordination dollars for Temple HHW event.

James McGill explained that even though these funds (\$2,105) were allocated at the last SWAC meeting, that allocation was not on the official agenda. Mr. McGill stated that staff requests this formality so that there is official record of allocating leftover Solid Waste Coordination dollars to the Temple HHW event.

**Commissioner Johnny Wagner made a motion to confirm the allocation of extra Solid Waste Coordination dollars in the amount of \$2,105 to the Temple HHW event, seconded by Justin Brantley; the motion passed unanimously.**

**8. Discussion and Action Item:** Regarding FY22 HHW event dates.

Duane Herrera explained that following the selection of FY22 HHW events and the allocation of funds for those events at the September 30 meeting, staff forgot to ask the Committee to determine event dates in the spring. Mr. Herrera recommended a plan for scheduling the selected events. Several members made comments about when their event was landing on the schedule. The committee reached a consensus on the following schedule listed below:

- City of Temple – October 23, 2021
- City of Nolanville (Tire Event) – November 4-7, 2021
- City of Kempner – February 26, 2022
- City of Gatesville – March 26, 2022
- Milam County – April 9, 2022

- City of Killeen – May 14, 2022
- Bell County (Tire Event) – August 2022

**Noel Watson made a motion to approve the schedule for FY22 HHW event dates, seconded by Marcie Seele; the motion passed unanimously.**

**10. Member Comments:**

James McGill introduced Dominic Elizondo, CTCOG's new Planner for Economic Development. Duane Herrera encouraged the SWAC to submit flyers to their events to James in advance so he could share them with the community and raise awareness for all of them.

**11. Next Meeting:** May 12, 2022 (tentative)

**12. Adjourn:** Meeting was adjourned at 10:38 a.m.

These meeting minutes were approved by the SWAC members at their meeting on \_\_\_\_\_.

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Bill Parry, SWAC Chair

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Uryan Nelson, CTCOG PRS Director

# **Item #5:**

## **FY22 HHW Events Update**

### **FY22 HHW Events Update**

#### **Upcoming Events**

- Bell County Tire Event – April 29<sup>th</sup> and 30<sup>th</sup>
- Milam County HHW Event – April 30<sup>th</sup>
- Killeen HHW Event – May 14<sup>th</sup>

#### **Past Event Summaries**

- The City of Temple held an HHW event on October 23, 2021.
- The City of Nolanville held a Tire Event from November 4-7, 2021.
- The City of Kempner held an HHW event on February 26, 2022.
- The City of Gatesville held an HHW event on March 26, 2022.

Attached are event summaries for the three HHW events.

**Action Item:** No action needed; for discussion only.

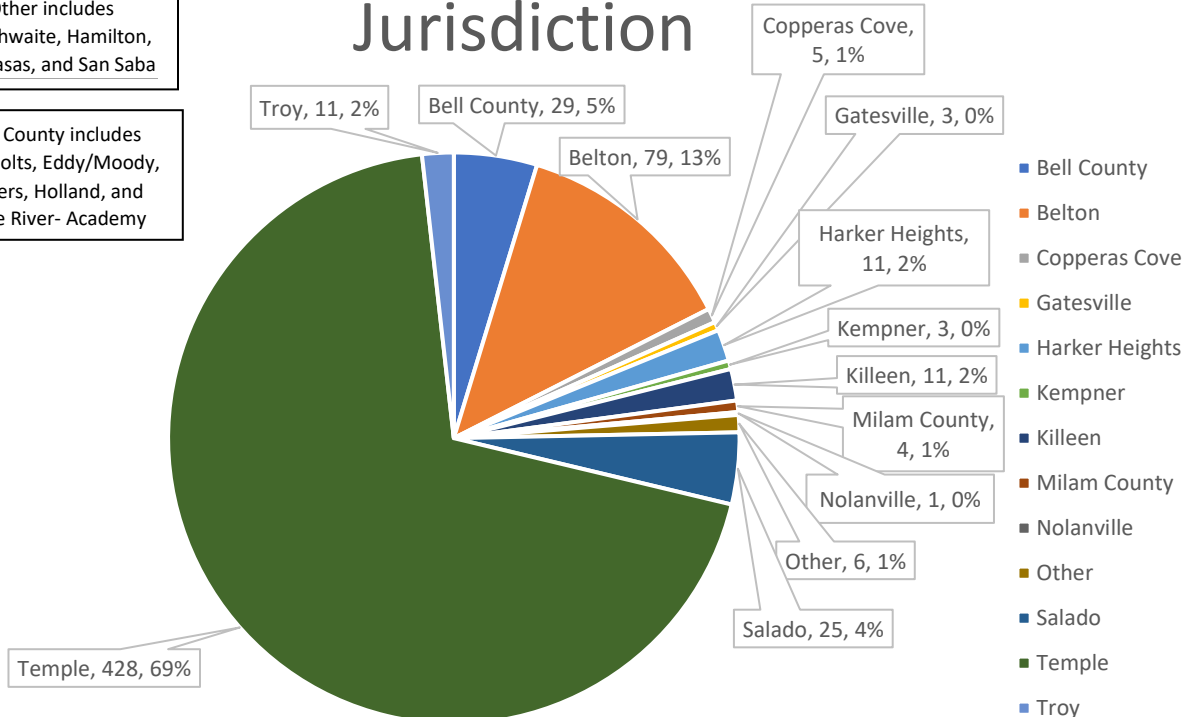
## City of Temple 2021 HHW Event

- 650 cars total (only data for 616)
- Residents from 5 counties attended the event
- Most attendees from Temple, Belton, and Salado
- Paint, Chemicals, and Oil/Antifreeze were the most common items dropped off
- 10% of attendees brought tires

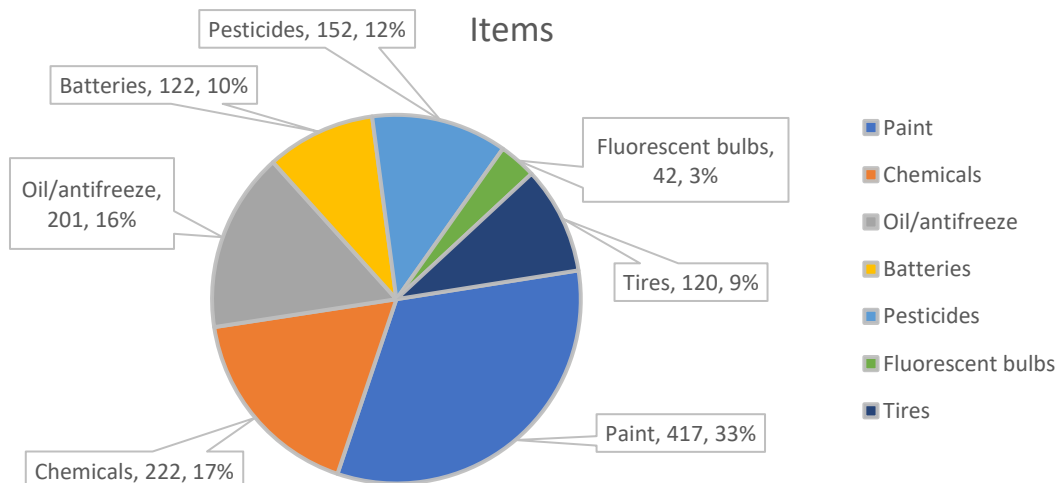
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Other includes Goldthwaite, Hamilton, Lampasas, and San Saba

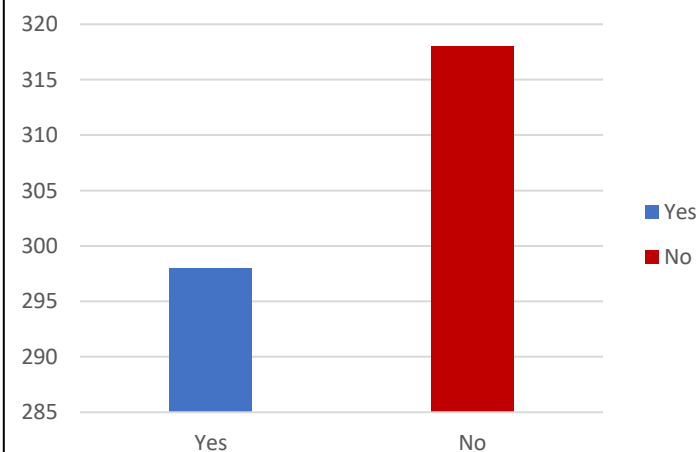
Bell County includes Buckholts, Eddy/Moody, Rogers, Holland, and Little River- Academy



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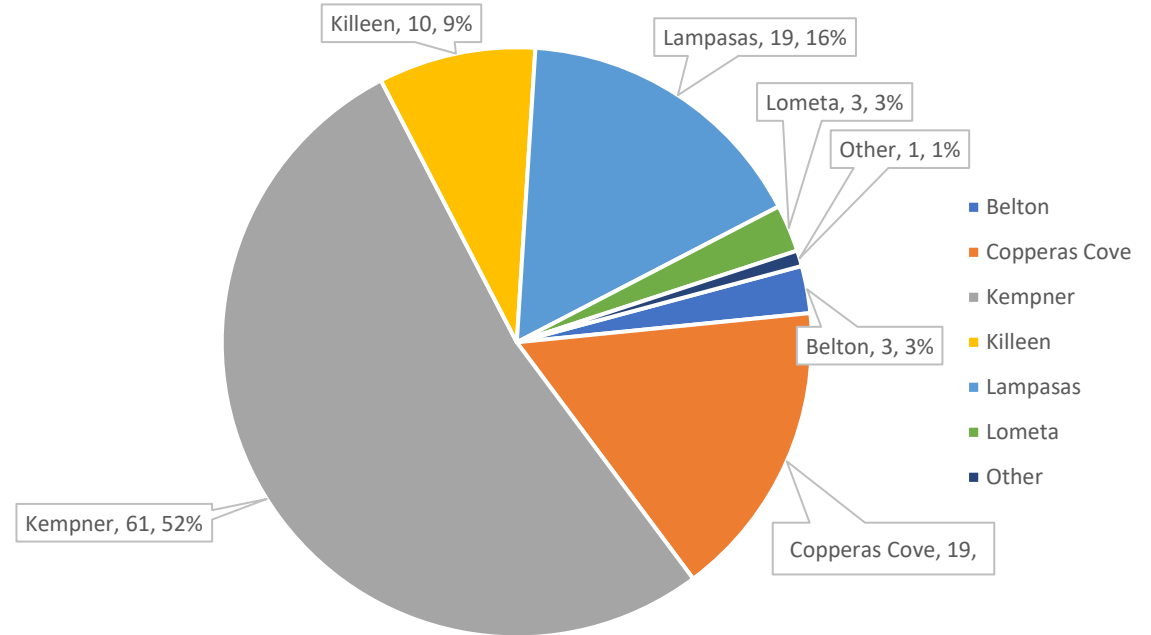
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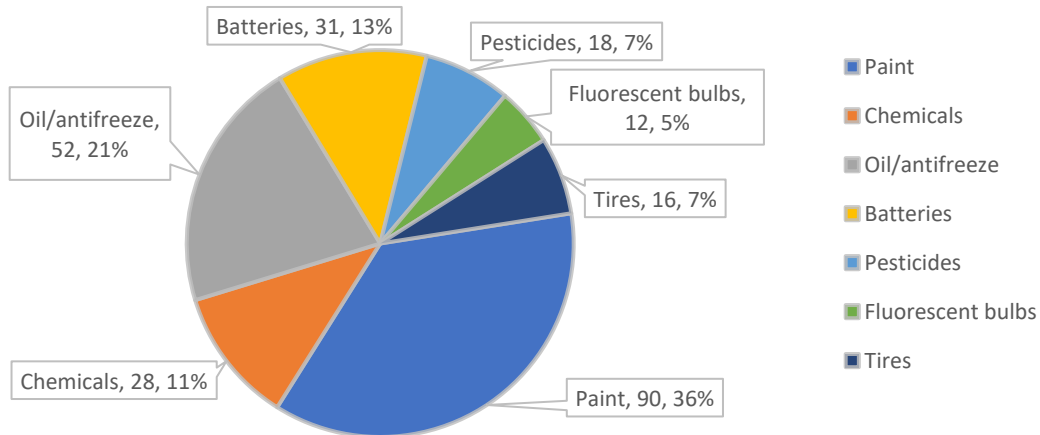
## City of Kempner 2022 HHW Event

- 116 cars total
- 75% of attendees had never attended an HHW event before
- 72% of attendees from Kempner/Lampasas County
- Paint and Oil/Antifreeze were the most common items dropped off
- 7% of attendees brought tires

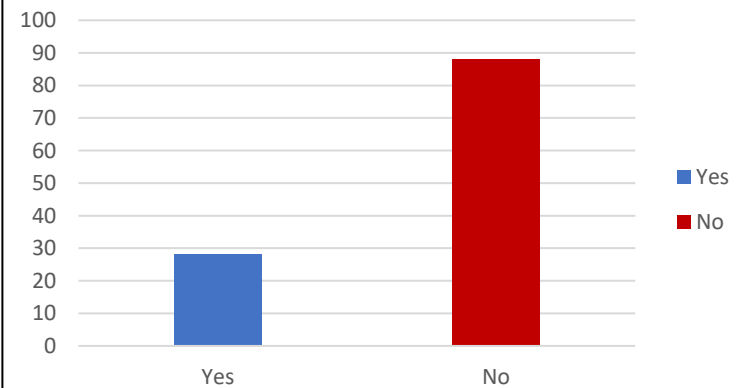
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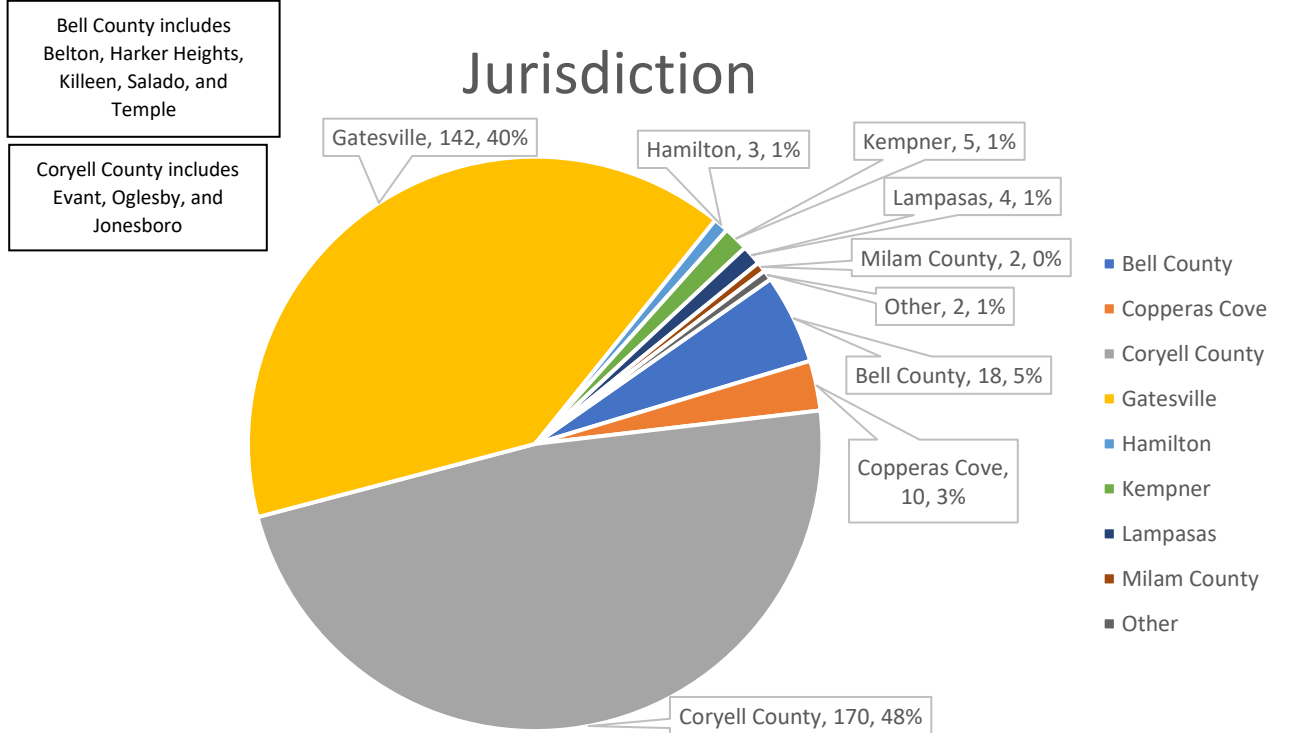


## City of Gatesville 2022 HHW Event

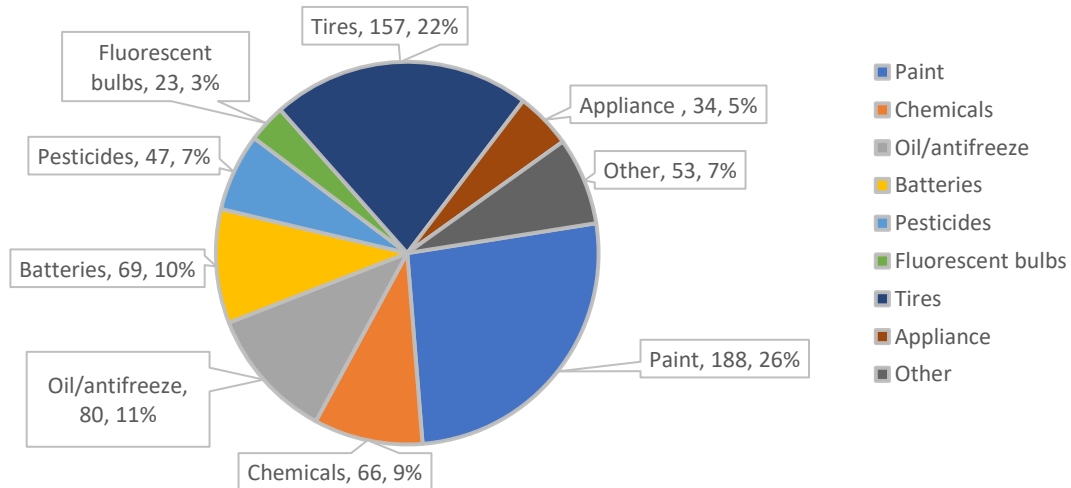
### Event

- 356 cars total
- Residents from 5 counties attended the event
- Most attendees came from Gatesville or Coryell County
- 26% of attendees brought paint
- 22% of attendees brought tires

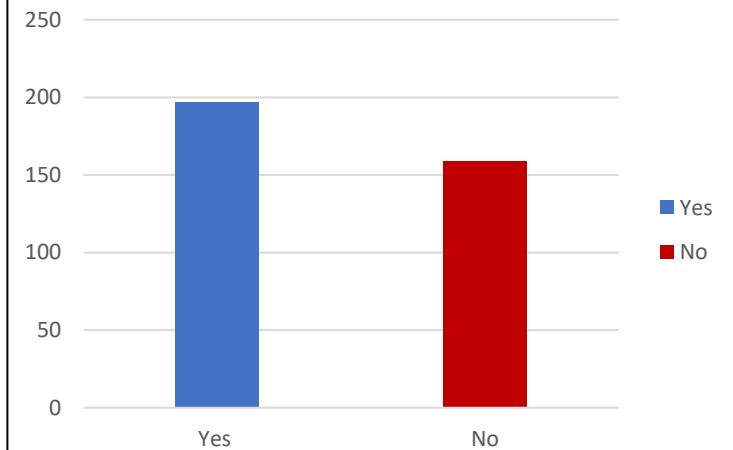
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## Previous Attendance



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**Item #6:**  
**Clean Earth Contract**  
**Addendum**

**Clean Earth Contract Addendum**

Clean Earth notified CTCOG staff prior to the Gatesville HHW event that an addendum was needed to increase the price of supplies and materials listed in the original contract. The main reason for the increase in cost is due to the global supply chain issues that have driven prices up.

Because this affects the cost of events and involves financial numbers, staff is seeking SWAC approval for the addendum prior to agreeing to any changes.

The proposed addendum is included in your meeting packet for review along with a comparison to prices in the original contract.

**Action Item:** Approve the addendum to Clean Earth's contract to provide HHW disposal services for the increase of supply prices.

## QUOTE - ADDENDUM

March 21, 2022

Mr. James McGill  
Central Texas Council of Governments  
2180 North Main Street  
Belton, TX 76513

Thank you for allowing Clean Earth Environmental Services, Inc. by and through any of its subsidiaries or affiliates (Clean Earth) to service your waste management needs. This addendum is to add additional services or pricing to your existing agreement with Clean Earth either at your request, or due to items or services performed that are not in your existing pricing schedule with us. Please see the below pricing schedule that will be added to your existing agreement as referenced below.

As discussed during our Planning & Logistics meeting for the City of Gatesville collection, we have experienced a significant increase in the cost of supplies to service all of our customers. Below is the current pricing for supplies used to service the CTCOG HHW program.

### Pricing Details:

Supplies Charges:							
Item	Alt. Description	Description	UOM	Price	QTY	Net Price	Minimums
SPDP05UO	5g Poly Pail	Drum, Poly, 5 gallon, Recon, Open Top	Rate	\$19	Each	\$19	NA
SPDP05NO	5g Poly Pail, new	Drum, Poly, 5 gallon, Open Top	Rate	\$25	Each	\$25	NA
SPDP55UO	55g Poly Drum	Drum, Poly, 55 gallon, Recon, Open Top	Rate	\$58	Each	\$58	NA
SPDP55NO	55g Poly Drum, new	Drum, Poly, 55 gallon, Open Top	Rate	\$70	Each	\$70	NA
SPDM55UO	55g Metal Drum	Drum, Metal, 55 gallon, Recon, Open Top	Rate	\$60	Each	\$60	NA
SPDM55NO	55g Metal Drum, new	Drum, Metal, 55 gallon, New, Open Top	Rate	\$85	Each	\$85	NA
SPDP30UO	30g Poly Drum	Drum, Poly, 30 gallon, Recon, Open Top	Rate	\$44	Each	\$44	NA
SPDP30NO	30g Poly Drum, new	Drum, Poly, 30 gallon, Open Top	Rate	\$61	Each	\$61	NA
SPDP15UO	15g Poly Drum	Drum, Poly, 15 gallon, Recon, Open Top	Rate	\$43	Each	\$43	NA

SPBXCIB	Cubic Yard Box	Box, Cubic Yard Box, DOT Approved/UN Rated for hazmat	Rate	\$82	Each	\$82	NA
SPVISQUN	Plastic Sheeting for groundcover	Visqueen, (20'x100') 6 mil.	Rate	\$120	Each	\$120	NA
SPALLET	Pallets	Pallets	Rate	\$29	Each	\$29	NA
SPBXBUB4	4' bulb box, regular	Box, (4 foot) Fluorescent Lamp Container	Rate	\$25	Each	\$25	NA
SPBXBUC4	4' bulb box, jumbo	Box, (4 foot) Fluorescent Lamp Container	Rate	\$48	Each	\$48	NA
SPBXBUB8	8' bulb box, regular	Box, (8 foot) Fluorescent Lamp Container	Rate	\$33	Each	\$33	NA
SPBXBUC8	8' bulb box, jumbo	Box, (8 foot) Fluorescent Lamp Container	Rate	\$55	Each	\$55	NA

## Assumptions and Conditions:

1. The disposal pricing as listed above is based on the information provided and will be confirmed following receipt of a completed waste profile. All pricing is pending profile approval and/or waste sample analysis.
2. For a complete list of process code specifications, visit:  
<https://www.cleaneearthinc.com/sites/default/files/Process-Specifications.pdf>
3. This proposal must be signed within 60 days of receipt; otherwise a new quote will be reissued.

The terms and conditions from the Stericycle-Central Texas Council of Governments (CTCOG) ("Agreement") with an effective date of January 28, 2020 between Stericycle Environmental Solutions, Inc, (now known as Clean Earth Environmental Solutions, Inc.), and Central Texas Council of Governments apply to this quote addendum.

Between: Clean Earth Environmental Solutions, Inc. And: Central Texas Council of Governments

Signature

Signature

Name

Name

Title

Title

Date:

Date:

Clean Earth Supply Increase Comparison			
Current Cost		Proposed New Cost	
Item	Price Per Unit	Item	Price Per Unit
55g Poly Drum	\$41.60	55g Poly Drum	\$58
55g Poly Drum, new	\$67.60	55g Poly Drum, new	\$70
55g Metal Drum	n/a	55g Metal Drum	\$60
55g Metal Drum, new	n/a	55g Metal Drum, new	\$85
30g Poly Drum	\$36.40	30g Poly Drum	\$44
30g Poly Drum, new	\$46.80	30g Poly Drum, new	\$61
14g Poly Drum	\$26.00	15g Poly Drum	\$43
5g Poly Pail	\$14.00	5g Poly Pail	\$19
5g Poly Pail, new	\$15.60	5g Poly Pail, new	\$25
Cubic Yard Box	\$52.00	Cubic Yard Box	\$82
Plastic Sheeting for groundcover	\$78.00	Plastic Sheeting for groundcover	\$120
Pallets	\$12.48	Pallets	\$29
4' bulb box, regular	n/a	4' bulb box, regular	\$25
4' bulb box, jumbo	n/a	4' bulb box, jumbo	\$48
8' bulb box, regular	n/a	8' bulb box, regular	\$33
8' bulb box, jumbo	n/a	8' bulb box, jumbo	\$55

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**Item #7:**  
**FY22 Solid Waste Interest**

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**FY22 Solid Waste Earned Interest**

Per our contract with TCEQ, all Solid Waste grant funds are placed in interested bearing accounts when received. Any interest earned by CTCOG through those accounts may be used in any budget category including implementation projects. Currently, there is \$2,964.02 in Earned Interest that is available for use. These funds can be spent in the current fiscal year (FY22), or they may be rolled over to the next fiscal year (FY23) for use then.

**Action Item:** Determine Use of FY22 Earned Interest.

**Item #8:**  
**FY23 HHW Call for  
Applications**

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**FY23 HHW Event Call for Applications**

CTCOG receives grant funds from TCEQ through the Solid Waste grants program for regional coordination and planning and as pass-through funding for various implementation projects. Historically the SWAC has decided to use all implementation funds for Household Hazardous Waste events throughout the region.

Staff brings this item before the committee each year to determine the use of funds for the following fiscal year and to provide an opportunity to comment on the required application for implementation funds (HHW events or other as determined by SWAC).

If SWAC chooses to utilize Solid Waste Implementation funds for HHW events as in previous fiscal years, a call for applications will be held during summer 2022 to select which entities will host an event in FY23 (October 2022 through September 2023). Entities wishing to host an HHW event will be required to fill out an application and present their proposals to the committee at the September/October 2022 SWAC meeting.

Attached to this meeting packet is a draft application. Staff is requesting feedback and approval on the call for applications and the FY23 application period. The call for FY22 applications was open for 44 days and ran from July 1<sup>st</sup> through August 13<sup>th</sup>, 2021.

**Action Item:** Determine Use of Implementation Funds for FY23, approve the project application and select dates for the application period.

## **Call for Applications:**

### **Household Hazardous Waste Events – Fiscal Year 2023**

The Central Texas Council of Governments (CTCOG) Solid Waste Advisory Committee (SWAC) is requesting applications from cities or counties interested in hosting a Household Hazardous Waste (HHW) collection event during FY 2023. Fiscal Year 2023 begins on September 1, 2022.

This application is due back to CTCOG staff no later than **August 15, 2022**. The SWAC will vote to select events at their next meeting, tentatively scheduled for September 15, 2022 at the CTCOG offices. Be prepared to have a representative present to answer questions regarding your site or your ability to contribute funds or labor. Note that on page three of the application form is a selection of background information and lessons learned.

Please contact James McGill if you have any questions: [james.mcgill@ctcog.org](mailto:james.mcgill@ctcog.org) or (254)-770-2366.

## HOUSEHOLD HAZARDOUS WASTE EVENT Application for FY 2022

**Applications are due to CTCOG by 5 P.M. on August 15, 2022.** You may send them via email to [james.mcgill@ctcog.org](mailto:james.mcgill@ctcog.org), or mail a hard copy to:

Central Texas Council of Governments  
Attn: James McGill, Solid Waste Coordinator  
2180 N. Main Street  
Belton, Texas 76513

CTCOG is located at **2180 North Main Street in Belton, Texas**. For directions, please call **(254) 770-2200**. Applicants should attend the **September 2022** meeting of the **Central Texas Council of Governments Solid Waste Advisory Committee**, in order to present a tentative plan for the event, explain why their location should be selected, and to answer questions from the committee. The meeting will be at 10:00 and be held at the CTCOG offices. The Solid Waste Committee will select the event locations based on the cases presented and funding levels.

Please fill out the questions below to explain why your entity should host a HHW event and attach any support documentation that is appropriate. Additional space for questions can be found on page 5 of this application.

1. What is the name of your entity (City/County)?

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2. Has your City/County ever held a Household Hazardous Waste Event?

☐ Yes ☐ No

- If so, during which fiscal years? (List a maximum of 3)

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3. If selected to host an event, how many people do you anticipate will attend?

Please provide an explanation on how you got your answer.

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4. In order of priority, list 3 dates between **January 1, 2023 and August 31, 2023** when the event might take place, keeping in mind that a **minimum** 45 day advance notice to TCEQ is required.

1. \_\_\_\_\_  
2. \_\_\_\_\_  
3. \_\_\_\_\_

5. Please provide the physical address of the event and describe the facility (how big it is, how much land surrounds it, how accessible to main highways, etc.) where the event would be held.

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6. Please list below the amount of funds your entity is requesting from CTCOG to support your event. In addition, please indicate the amount of funding that your city or county is willing to contribute towards the cost of the event. (Example, dollar amounts for HHW contractor, tire collection, electronics recycling, etc).  
Note: Each county/city is expected to provide the volunteers necessary to operate the event if possible.

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7. Please elaborate on specific reasons why the collection event should be held in your city/county.

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### **Information from past events:**

- Past CTCOG contribution towards cost: \$10,000 - \$20,000
- Past turnout for urban area (Killeen or Temple): 350-500+ cars
- Past turnout for rural area (Hamilton or Gatesville): 150-300+ cars
- Past total cost for urban events: \$30,000 - \$50,000+
- Past total cost for rural events: \$20,000 - \$35,000
- Cost for tire trailer provided by contractor: \$4000 (approximate)
- Cost for electronics vendor on site: Depends on vendor / contract
- Newspaper advertising – depends on local paper classified ad rates. Ads are most effective in the community where the event takes place, less so with increasing distance.

Most effective advertising: local newspaper, water bill inserts, church announcements, community billboards.

### **Lessons learned:**

- One way traffic works best – having people enter and exit through a single entry point can cause traffic jams, confusion to the drivers, and may increase the risk of a car striking a pedestrian
- Combined events (HHW in conjunction with a city-wide clean-up) may increase confusion to the public regarding acceptable items for disposal, times, or locations. Staff or volunteers will have to identify the visitor's purpose and direct them to the correct location. It may require traffic to cross paths or have to merge back in line and can make data collection difficult if people are being counted that aren't bringing hazardous waste. However, it can work given the appropriate location. If you are considering this, please contact your solid waste coordinator for more information.
- Maximize the use of volunteers to help direct traffic, take surveys, hand out promotional items, unload tires, etc. The quicker a car can be received, surveyed, unloaded and moved out, the happier your residents are going to be. Traffic won't back up, tempers won't flare, and you just have a better flow of cars through the site.
- Brief the volunteers and paid employees well before the scheduled opening time. That helps everyone understand how cars will be directed to flow through the site, and what their part will be. Also, you can brief them on the safety hazards involved with moving vehicles, hazardous chemicals, heat exhaustion, etc.

- Expect people to begin arriving at the event at least one hour prior to the posted start time, especially in the rural areas.
- Volunteers or paid staff are a necessity.
- Please provide access to bathrooms.
- If your entity is selected, please reserve the event location a few days in advance as so that contractors can set up their stations before the event date.

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**Item #9:**  
**HHW Vendor Contract  
Renewal**

**HHW Vendor Contract Renewal**

CTCOG and Stericycle Environmental Solutions (now Clean Earth) signed a contract on January 28, 2020 to provide household hazardous waste services to CTCOG for a three year period. The contract is set to renew for another three year period if no action is taken.

Staff wanted to bring this contract before the committee for discussion on whether to continue with the existing contract or explore soliciting new proposals to provide HHW services for CTCOG going forward.

**Action Item:** No action needed; for discussion only.

**Item #10:**  
**Regional Styrofoam  
Collection Program**

**Styrofoam Collection Program**

Staff was asked last year about a Styrofoam recycling/collection program. Styrofoam is not something that Clean Earth currently accepts at our regular HHW events.

There is a company in Waxahachie, Dart Corp, that will recycle Styrofoam that is brought to them and a group in Waco that holds several Styrofoam collection events throughout the year.

Staff is willing to explore this idea further if there is interest from the committee in hosting or holding Styrofoam collection events.

**Action Item:** No action needed; for discussion only.



## James McGill

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**From:** Jennifer Hetzel <jrhetz@gmail.com>  
**Sent:** Friday, April 9, 2021 12:12 PM  
**To:** James McGill  
**Subject:** Re: Styrofoam collection

Hi James, thanks for looking into this! I think it could be a very well-received program if we can get it started.

The group in Waco just collects the styrofoam a few times a year and loads it into a Uhaul that they bring to the company. As far as I know they self-fund this. Their group leader is Dr. Alan Northcutt, [anorthc@aol.com](mailto:anorthc@aol.com), if you'd like to reach out to him for more info. Maybe there's potential for a regional effort?

## Jennifer Hetzel

254.291.8841 | she/her/hers  
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Host, Centex Planeteers on [KNCT Simply Beautiful 91.3 FM](#)  
Founder, [Centex Planeteers](#) | [Epically Geeky Expo](#) (Formerly CTC Geekfest)  
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On Fri, Apr 9, 2021 at 12:01 PM James McGill <[james.mcgill@ctcog.org](mailto:james.mcgill@ctcog.org)> wrote:

Hi Jennifer,

Thanks for passing this information along. I did to our current HHW contractor, Clean Earth, and they said they don't deal with Styrofoam disposal. I've added this as a potential item for our May SWAC agenda. If you have any more information regarding Dart Corp. and what the Waco group does specifically to collect and dispose of Styrofoam I would love to get that from you.

Thanks,

James McGill

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**Sent:** Friday, March 26, 2021 4:38 PM

**To:** James McGill <[james.mcgill@ctcog.org](mailto:james.mcgill@ctcog.org)>

**Subject:** Styrofoam collection

Hi James,

The company the Waco group brings the styrofoam it collects to is the Dart Corp. in Waxahachie. Let me know if this is something you think CTCOG might be able to help with. I'd love to see regular styrofoam collection events in our area!

## Jennifer Hetzel

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**Item #11:**  
**Review of Scrap Tire Facility  
Application**

**Review of Potential Scrap Tire Facility**

CTCOG recently received notice from SNP Construction, LLC of their application to TCEQ for a permit to process and recycle scrap tires. The facility is located near Gatesville. A copy of the notice staff received is included in the packet for your review.

TCEQ requests that the SWAC review these notices and applications for consistency with CTCOG's overall goals, objectives, and the RSWMP, and provide any feedback to the agency for their consideration.

Staff is providing an opportunity for feedback to the Committee at this time.

**Action Item:** No action needed; for discussion only.

**Scrap Tire Facility Registration – Notification to Local Authorities**

Notification Date (mailed or hand-delivered date): 3/28/22.

Notification to: Central Texas Council Governments

P.O. Box 729, Belton, TX. 76513  
Customer Legal Name

has applied to the Executive Director of the Texas Commission on Environmental Quality (TCEQ) for a Scrap Tire Facility Registration for a proposed scrap tire facility to be located at:

701 Indian Hills Rd Gatesville TX 76528  
Physical address of the facility

This notification is provided per the requirements of 30 TAC Chapter 328, Sections 328.63(d)(1) and 328.63(d)(2). Approval by the TCEQ Executive Director is required before the start of the proposed scrap tire facility operations at the above-referenced location.

Prior to authorizing a scrap tire facility, the TCEQ Executive Director must consider any timely written notification by a local government with jurisdiction over a proposed facility that the proposed facility does not comply with local requirements related to managing scrap tires and protecting public health and the environment. Such notice must include adequate documentation of noncompliance at the proposed facility. The Executive Director determines whether any documentation of noncompliance submitted is adequate.

Comments on the application, if any, must be submitted in writing to the TCEQ's Waste Permits Division within 45 days of the date noted above.

The Executive Director shall, after review of the application for registration, determine if the application will be approved or denied. The Executive Director's final action on the application will be available to view at [www.tceq.texas.gov/tires/pending-applications](http://www.tceq.texas.gov/tires/pending-applications). The applicant or a person affected may file a motion to overturn the Executive Director's final action on this registration, which is a request that the commission review the Executive Director's action on an application. A motion to overturn must be filed no later than 23 days after the date of the final action. Information on how to file a motion to overturn is available at the above web page.

For more information about this application and/or to submit comments, please contact: Waste Permits Division, MC 126, Texas Commission on Environmental Quality, P.O. Box 13087, Austin, TX 78711-3087. The TCEQ staff can also be contacted via email to [tires@tceq.texas.gov](mailto:tires@tceq.texas.gov) or by phone at (512) 239-2335.

Submitted by:

SNP Construction LLC (Logan Shults)  
Name of Applicant or Authorized Representative

1400 Babbidge Dr. Gatesville, TX. 76528  
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